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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

- Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
*(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)*
- Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
- Specification [Total Pages 30]  
*(preferred arrangement set forth below)*
  - Descriptive title of the invention
  - Cross Reference to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (*if filed*)
  - Detailed Description -Redline Specification \_\_\_\_ pgs
  - Claim(s) -Clean Specification \_\_\_\_ pgs
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
- Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [ Total Sheets 8 ]
- Oath or Declaration [ Total Pages 4 ]
  - Newly executed (original or copy)
  - Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))  
*(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)*
  - DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
*Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).*
- Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

Attorney Docket No.	1950.022
First Inventor	Lawrence A. Denny, et al.
Title	Oilfield Equipment Identification Method and Apparatus
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    - paper
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<b>ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS</b>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (cover sheet &amp; document(s))</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement <span style="float: right;"><b>See Below</b></span></li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> (when there is an assignee) <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> English Translation Document (if applicable)</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 <input type="checkbox"/> Copies of IDS Citations</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary Amendment</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) <span style="float: right;"><b>Should be specifically itemized</b></span></li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: <span style="float: right;"><b>See Below</b></span></li> </ol>	

18. This application is:

 Continuation     Divisional     Continuation-in-part (CIP)

of prior application No.: 10/261,551

Prior application information: Examiner E. Raymond

Group Art Unit: 2857

As a CON, DIV, or CIP, this application contains one or more changes to (1) the specification; (2) drawings; or (3) claims in the above-identified prior application. A red-line version of the application showing these changes will be made available to the examiner upon request.

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1. Utility Patent Application Transmittal (1 page)2. Fee Transmittal (1 page) Authorizing the Commissioner to charge indicated fees of \$375.00 (for Utility Filing Fee \$375.00) or any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 and/or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account Name **Dunlap, Codding & Rogers, P.C.** 3. Patent Application Fee Determination Record (1 page)4. Complete Application for Publication (30 pages) (Continuation of USSSN 10/261,551 filed 09/30/01) including: (A) Specification (20 pages); (B) 3 Claims (2 pages); (C) Abstract (1 page); (D) 4 pages of a copy of the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (from prior application); and (E) 8 sheets of formal drawings with labels identifying indicia (37 CFR 1.84(c);5. Information Disclosure Statement (4pages);6. Information Disclosure Statement by Applicant (3 pages);7.Return receipt postcard

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2003

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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## Complete if Known

Application Number	10/261,551
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Examiner Name	E. Raymond
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## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)		
1001 750	2001 375	Utility filing fee	375
1002 330	2002 165	Design filing fee	
1003 520	2003 260	Plant filing fee	
1004 750	2004 375	Reissue filing fee	
1005 160	2005 80	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 375)			

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Independent Claims	Multiple Dependent	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
3	-	-	** = U	X	\$0
3	-	-	** =	X	\$0
					\$0

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	
1202 18	2202 9	Claims in excess of 20
1201 84	2201 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203 280	2203 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204 84	2204 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205 18	2205 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 0)		

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## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1051 130	2051 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052 50	2052 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053 130	1053 130	Non-English specification	
1812 2,520	1812 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804 920*	1804 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805 1,840*	1805 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251 110	2251 55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252 410	2252 205	Extension for reply within second month	
1253 930	2253 465	Extension for reply within third month	
1254 1,450	2254 725	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255 1,970	2255 985	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401 320	2401 160	Notice of Appeal	
1402 320	2402 160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403 280	2403 140	Request for oral hearing	
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452 110	2452 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453 1,300	2453 650	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501 1,300	2501 650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502 470	2502 235	Design issue fee	
1503 630	2503 315	Plant issue fee	
1460 130	1460 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807 50	1807 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806 180	1806 180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021 40	8021 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809 750	2809 375	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1810 750	2810 375	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1801 750	2801 375	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802 900	1802 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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